

## BARNES & RANKIN SELL TO GOLDENBERG CO.

**BIG FIRM REACHING OUT FOR  
MORE BUSINESS AND NEEDS  
MORE ROOM—WILL SELL  
EVERYTHING**

The M. B. Goldenberg Co. purchased the entire stock of furniture, hardware, and saddlery from Barnes & Rankin this week and have been busy taking inventory preparatory to making the transfer.

Barnes & Rankin was one of the oldest firms doing business in Tucumcari and the owners were here when the town was commenced and sold their land in town lots. They conducted a nice store and had one of the finest buildings and show windows in the city. Both Mr. Barnes and Mr. Rankin feel their age and health would not justify them remaining in business so they decided to sell and Mr. Barnes will retire for a time at least until he regains his health. Mr. Rankin will remain with the Goldenberg Co. and assist them in the furniture department and collect accounts for his former firm or as much as possible.

The Goldenberg Company needs no introduction to the public as this firm has been doing business in Tucumcari and Quay county for more than fifteen years, and the fact that they have purchased this other big store and intend to spread out shows that their business has been successful in every way.

They will use the building now occupied by them for groceries, hardware and furniture. The west side will be the grocery department together with the meat market. The east half will be used for hardware and furniture under the supervision of Messrs. Dismukes and Rankin.

A new building will be placed between the Goldenberg and Barnes & Rankin buildings and this will be used as the offices and the cashier's department. New baskets and wires will be installed from all parts of the store and full equipment for quick and reliable service.

The Barnes & Rankin building will be used for the dry goods and clothing departments and modern equipment installed.

A car load of furniture was purchased Tuesday and will arrive in plenty of time to be installed in the room which will be prepared for it.

In the mean time the Goldenberg Company intend to put on a special sale to get rid of all goods purchased by them in order to allow the workmen to begin work on the store-building putting everything in readiness for a mammoth business. They have faith in Tucumcari and Quay county and no doubt have made a wise deal in taking over the business of Messrs. Barnes and Rankin.

## EVANGELISTIC SERVICES

A series of special evangelistic services will begin in the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

The pastor will be assisted by the Rev. J. W. Winder of Albuquerque, a very attractive and forcible speaker, and after the Sunday morning service, will have the co-operation of the other pastors of the city.

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be an Evangelistic Rally of all the Sunday schools led by Mr. Winder and the Rev. E. T. Raley, Field Secretary of the International Sunday School Association for New Mexico and Arizona.

At 7:30 in the evening there will be a song service followed by preaching.

Throughout the week services will be held from four to five in the afternoon, and at 7:30 at night.

The music will be under the direction of Mrs. E. F. Saxon, assisted by the local talent.

The co-operation and prayers of the Christian people of Tucumcari are earnestly requested and everyone is given a most cordial invitation to all of these services.

P. B. HENDERLITE,

Pastor

## ROASTING EARS

This seems rather late to be talking about roasting ears but the News editor was presented a dozen ears by Messrs. John Porheimer and Gus Klinkman who have been farming the old Cawfield place near Tucumcari mountain. They have raised plenty of garden truck this year and had turnips and peanuts which they were selling. They claim anything can be raised in this country providing it is taken care of.

## ANOTHER ROBBERY

Sometime Tuesday morning the Tucumcari Steam Laundry was entered and robbed. It is not known exactly what was taken, but a young man who works at the laundry lost a new pair of shoes which he left in the rear of the building. 300 dozen pearl buttons were also taken. Officers were notified but no clew was left and the robber made his escape.

## SUFFRAGE LOSES IN STATES OF N. Y., MASS., AND PENN.

Elections in ten states, Tuesday, emphatically defeated woman suffrage amendments in New York, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania and gave the Republicans an additional representative in congress, a new governor in Massachusetts, a mayor in Philadelphia and four legislators in New Jersey.

The Democrats elected a governor in Maryland and an entire state ticket besides a majority in the state legislature.

Incomplete returns gave former congressman Augustus O. Stanley, Democrat, substantial lead over Edwin P. Morrow, Republican.

Mississippi, the only other state to elect a governor, went, as usual, Democratic.

In New York, former congressman William S. Bennett was elected in the 23rd district to succeed the late Democratic congressman, Jacobs Goulden Bennett, a Republican. Republicans will succeed Republicans in the 31st and the 36th congressional districts of New York and the 24th district of Pennsylvania.

In New York the Republicans retained their control of the lower house of the legislature, although they lost one congressman.

In addition to defeating the suffrage amendment by about 210,000, the people of New York repudiated a convention of which Elihu Root was president and for which Mr. Root had conducted a vigorous speaking campaign.

Samuel W. McCall, the Republican who will succeed David I. Walsh, a Democrat, as governor of Massachusetts, won by a plurality of more than 6000. The Republicans retained control of the Massachusetts legislature.

The Republicans returned to power in Philadelphia, where their candidate Thomas B. Smith, was elected mayor by 70,000.

In New Jersey, the Republicans gained two state senators and two members of the assembly and will continue in control of both houses of the legislature.

State wide prohibition was rejected in Ohio by a majority of more than 40,000. Last year the amendment was defeated by 84,152.

The city of Toledo voted against a 25-year street car franchise and will take over all lines controlled by the Toledo railways and light company.

A proposal that the city purchase the local street railways was rejected in Detroit after a bitter fight.

The election of the Virginia general assembly will send a heavy majority to the senate and house pledged to the enactment of prohibition legislation when the state goes dry by constitutional amendment November 1, 1916.

## PLEASANT OUTING

Lee G. Pearson and family and Ira E. Furr and wife went out to Ogle Flats and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Read and family. They went hunting in the mountains and returned with a nice bunch of quail. They also wish to report a nice visit at the Read home where Mr. Read has accumulated a nice herd of cattle and other stock since he moved to that locality. The history of his experiences and the success he has attained would be interesting to many eastern farmers who pay big rents each year and work hard but never get anything laid up for old age or the "rainy day."

We were shown a large bunch of quail that were pets and live in the doorway of the Reads' but were not allowed to shoot them. There would be no sport in killing them any more than shooting our own chickens so we did not object. The quail in the mountains gave us plenty of exercise for a week or so but we came home without the limit.

Other hunters were out Sunday in every direction and some of them report bagging the limit. It was said nearly every team and auto was engaged in carrying hunters to the hills and mountains where the quail have flown for protection.

Some are out after big game and no doubt will bag a few deer.

## WEINIE ROAST

About thirty young folks chaperoned by Messdames Davis and Grange, left Tucumcari last Wednesday night and drove to the Revuelto bridge east of town and proceeded to enjoy what they called a "Weinie Roast" which was prepared after their arrival at the bridge. The young men rustled the wood while the ladies prepared the coffee and other eats. It was reported that two boys after being gone for a half hour or so, came in with one lone stick about half the length of a broom stick.

Anyhow enough wood was rounded up to roast the weinies and allow the picnickers to eat and start for home shortly after 11 o'clock. There were six cars in the crowd and each was well loaded but the trip was made in 30 to 45 minutes by all the cars and they arrived home in time to give a dance at the Elks Club.

Those owning the cars and driving same were Messrs. Davis, James, Corn Goldenberg, Coulter and Simmons. We did not learn the names of those who made up the party.

## TUCUMCARI PUBLIC SCHOOLS CROWDED

**SCHOOL ENUMERATION WOULD  
BE MORE THAN 1000 NOW—  
HIGH SCHOOL HAS 118.  
NEED MORE ROOMS**

At the present time there are more than eight hundred children enrolled in the Tucumcari Public Schools. When the school district enumeration list was filed with the County Superintendent of Schools there were 965 children of school age in the district. This number has increased until there are without doubt more than one thousand children of school age in the district at the present time. More than one hundred children between the ages of five and seven years have been temporarily refused admission to the first two grades of school on account of the crowded conditions existing in these grades. Most of these children moved into the district from a month to six weeks after the beginning of school and will be admitted at the beginning of the second semester of the school year. Judging from present indications, the enrollment after the Christmas holidays will reach 950 or 1000 students. The present High School enrollment is 118 students, almost double the enrollment for any previous year.

On Friday evening November 12, the annual Inter-Society Declamatory and Oratorical contests will be held in the High School Auditorium. The following students will take part in the declamatory contest: George Elkins, Rebecca Everest, Juanita Shaff and Clyde Jackson. In the Oratorical contest the following boys will compete for honors: Jack Pullen, Herbert Gerhardt, Leslie Bays and Robert Girouard. This is the first time both contests have been arranged for the same evening, and as a consequence patrons and friends of the school will be afforded an opportunity to derive a most enjoyable evening from these school activities. These contests are important factors in deciding the honors between the Clio and Klasic Klan Literary Societies. The winner in each of these contests will be entitled to represent the Tucumcari Public Schools in the State contests to be held at Albuquerque during the State Teachers' Association the last week of November.

The admission price to this evening of entertainment is only twenty-five cents. The proceeds of the contest will be used to pay the expenses of the contestants to the State contest. It is hoped that the patrons and friends of the school will most liberally support this first of the school activities of the year.

The High School Athletic Association has arranged with Mr. Hurley to take charge of the moving picture show on the afternoon and evening of November 13. Special feature pictures will be presented. Look for later announcements. The Basket Ball boys are planning a most active season and wish to begin with the best possible financial backing.

## HALLOWEEN PARTY

The members of the "Y. G. Club" gave a Halloween party at the home of Miss Mionette Sandusky on Saturday evening. The house was attractively decorated with autumn foliage and Halloween symbols—a mass of cobwebs woven from cords and with which the guests had much merriment in untagging and searching for their fortunes. The idea of all Saint's Day was prevalent in the games and refreshments. The members and guests present were: Misses Whitmore, Finney, Edna and Merle Koch, Sandusky, Ohem and Mrs. Bueler. Messrs. Haller, Phillips, Goldenberg, Harrison, Sands and Dr. Bueler.

## RETURNED TO TEXAS

S. A. Bush, who came to Tucumcari a few months ago and passed several worthless checks and was sentenced to serve 90 days in jail and pay \$100 fine, was released last week to officers from Texas, who were anxious to return him to answer to similar charges. He will no doubt pay for his fast life in Texas now instead of New Mexico.

## SPECIAL TRAIN HERE TUESDAY

General Superintendent L. U. Morris and Supt. Beeth, and other officials passed through here Tuesday on their annual inspection of bridges. They report everything in fairly good shape considering the bad luck the company experienced in washouts, etc.

## SHIPS CAR OF BEANS

The M. B. Goldenberg Co. bought and shipped out a car load of beans this week. The beans were sold to a party in Sayre, Okla. This firm has shipped a number of melons to the east and north.

## HAS PNEUMONIA

L. E. Lee is reported to be seriously ill with pneumonia. Today he was holding his own and unless the change for worse happens soon his recovery is expected to be made soon.

## PERCY SAMPLE IS SERIOUSLY INJURED

**THOUGHT TO BE DEAD IS  
REVIVED—UNLESS INJURED IN-  
TERNALLY HE MAY YET  
FULLY RECOVER**

Percy Sample had a serious accident happen to him this morning when a horse he was riding, stepped into a prairie dog hole and fell, pinning Mr. Sample underneath.

Percy was picked up unconscious and thought to be dying. Physicians were summoned and he was brought to the Physicians Hospital where it was found that his abdomen was mashed but no bones broken. Hopes are entertained for his recovery but his condition is quite serious at present and unless further complications set in he may get well.

It is not known yet whether he is injured internally or not and will not be known before tomorrow, but his many friends hope for the best.

The accident happened about 11:00 this morning and he was brought to the hospital about 2:30 this afternoon.

## VILLA RETREATS

Douglas, Ariz., Nov. 3.—Gen. Francisco Villa, forced by hunger, thirst and a scanty supply of ammunition to abandon his plan for an immediate assault on the strongly entrenched village of Agua Prieta, commenced withdrawing his army early this morning and shortly after 9 o'clock most of his force were on the way to Anivacachi pass, 12 miles southwest.

It is his apparent intention to reach water, which is plentiful farther to the southwest, and re-provision his hungry men.

Gen. Mendez, with a force of about 1500 men, has been holding the pass for several days and will remain there guarding the entrance to the valley for the return of Villa.

That Villa's determination temporarily to withdraw his forces from the vicinity of Agua Prieta was sudden, was shown by the fact that his gun lieutenants in command of the rapid fire near the slaughter house on the right wing took nothing but their guns with them. A quantity of ammunition in cases was left in the emplacements when the withdrawal commenced.

## IMPROVEMENTS IN CITY

The vacant spots along the east side of Second street will soon be filled with new sidewalk and this will make it possible for the property owners on that side of the street to have sidewalk all the way to town.

About a mile of new walk has been put down on Adams street within the past two months. Now the city must come through with the crossings or someone will set up a "holer." We suppose the city will do its part without any delay.

The store-buildings will be about all occupied shortly. There is a man here today who intends to put in a grocery store. A new firm will soon open up a hardware and implement store, and we understand parties have been figuring on opening up the old Photoplay with another picture show.

## "HEARTS IN EXILE"

On April 12th, the World Film Corporation released the 5 part photoplay drama, "Hearts in Exile" based on a novel by the late James Okenham.

Clara Kimball Young is the heroine of the play, which is Russian in theme, and sentiment. She plays the part of a girl lawfully wedded to two husbands both of whom are sincere in their regard for her. This situation is the strong point of a play which is full of dramatic situations.

"Hearts in Exile" is a strong story which has been produced regardless of cost. The director was James Young and the supporting cast numbers many hundreds. See this picture at The New next Monday, Nov. 8.

## APPOINTED LOCAL SURGEON

Dr. F. W. Noble, of the Tucumcari Hospital, has received his appointment as local surgeon for the Rock Island railroad in this city. He takes the place of Dr. H. D. Nichols who resigned the position here in order to accept another in Arizona for a Smelter Co., located at Douglas. Dr. Noble has proven himself a first-class surgeon and has won an enviable reputation in this part of the country. We know the company has made a wise selection and wish to congratulate Dr. Noble on his appointment.

## TRAIN CHANGES TIME

The T. & M. train which formerly arrived here at 8 o'clock in the evening, now arrives at 1:00 p. m. This gives the passengers a lay-over of about eight hours in Tucumcari and gives us a day train once more.

## WRESTLER SKIPPED

The champion light-weight wrestler who was to tangle with Bill Box at the Opera House last Saturday night skipped out when he took a good look at Box. We understand he forgot to pay some of his bills around town.

## U. S. SILENT AS TO REQUEST TO CROSS INTO MEXICO

Washington, D. C., Nov. 3.—Secretary of War Garrison today refused to confirm or deny that Gen. Funston had asked for authority to enter Mexico in case of military exigency and the white house was also silent. It was made clear at the war department that the American commander already has authority to return any fire from across the border.

The latest report from Gen. Funston said there was an unconfirmed rumor that the Villa forces were withdrawing toward Nogales from the attack on Agua Prieta. The message was sent late Tuesday night. Gen. Funston has authority to dispose his troops as he deems best to protect American lives and property without reference to the war department. If it should be decided to permit him to cross the border, however, it will rest with President Wilson whether any change in orders will be made public.

## JAMES R. BRYANT DIES

James R. Bryant, of Logan, who came to Tucumcari for treatment, died Monday morning in this city after a long illness. Some months ago he was here and was told nothing could be done for him so he made a will and returned to Logan to live as long as possible, returning to Tucumcari only a short time before he died.

Mr. Bryant was a native of Tennessee where he was born in 1853. He moved to this state about 14 years ago and settled near Dodson, where he lived one year. He moved to Bryansville where he ran a store about 5 years. From there he moved to Logan where he has been in business ever since.

Mr. Bryant was a member of the Baptist church having joined that denomination when he was 17 years of age. He was the father of 12 children seven of whom are still living. His first wife died 20 years ago. He was then married to Miss Polly Winton in 1899. She still survives him and will continue to be a resident of Logan until the store is disposed of.

The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Sam D. Taylor, assisted by the I. O. O. F. Lodge, of which he was a member, and the remains were laid to rest in Sunnyside cemetery.

## TWO BOYS PINCHED

Two boys were arrested last week for stealing brass from hose and water meters and brought before Judge McElroy for correction. The Judge found the boys guilty and sentenced them to 60 days in jail, but suspended the sentence providing they would keep off the streets and out of mischief and go to school every day. They promised to obey the Judge's request and it will be better for them if they do. Neil Hardin, one of the boys is 14 while Clifford Bullard is 15 years old.

The officers are on the trail of a few others and unless they stop their meanness they will have to appear before the judge and perhaps he will not be so lenient with them.

## TOMATOES BRING THE CASH

J. R. Gibbons, who lives 12 miles west of Montoya, about half way between Isidore and Newkirk, was in town today with a load of tomatoes, turnips, etc. He said he had sold \$167.00 worth of tomatoes this year and still had a few more to bring in. They were raised on a half acre of New Mexico ground. He also told us he had sold better than \$358 worth of melons and vegetables this year. He has in a large patch of corn which he thinks will turn out 50 bushels to the acre. The last homestead in that vicinity was filed on this week and from now on land is expected to advance in price. Mr. Gibbons is a booster for New Mexico and believes there is a great future for this state.

## MAY BUILD TO RATON

Raton, N. M., Nov. 1.—It is the belief of those who have kept in touch with railroad matters in this section that the Chicago Rock Island & Pacific is attempting to secure coal lands in this locality, and that should it be successful a line of that road would be built into this city from the south. This would allow the company to compete for the Oklahoma and Texas coal trade from this section of the state, which has, during the past year, become a very important factor in the freight revenues.

## MISS MYERS TO BE MARRIED

Santa Fe, Oct. 31.—Miss Manette Myers, supervisor of vocational training in New Mexico, left today for Raton to spend some time with her mother. She has resigned to take effect at the end of the fiscal year, November 30 as she will be married on Christmas day. The superintendent of public instruction is casting about for suitable successor.

## CAR OF OAKLANDS

Goldenberg and Company received a car load of those fine Oakland cars. They have them set up and ready for sale and they are attracting considerable attention. They look like the Buick but sell for considerably less, and have a reputation for being the car for a country like this. They are hill climbers and are beautiful cars.

## TEXAN KILLED IN YARDS BY SWITCH ENGINE

**WAS ENROUTE TO LAS TANOS  
WITH SHIPMENT OF CATTLE  
FOR MR. ROBERSON OF  
SANTA ROSA**

Another horrible accident happened in the yards early Saturday morning when G. W. Thompson of Wichita Falls, Texas, was run over and killed by a switch engine.

Mr. Thompson was in charge of a shipment of cattle from a Mr. Roberson of Wichita Falls to his son, Harry Roberson of Santa Rosa and the cattle were consigned to Las Tanos, where they were unloaded. When the train reached Tucumcari, we understand, the conductor awakened Mr. Thompson, who was sleeping in the caboose, and asked him to look after his cattle, to see if they were all right. He got off the caboose just as the east-bound passenger train, No. 3, was coming in from El Paso. There was only one witness to the accident, and this witness said Mr. Thompson was watching the passenger engine and stepped back on the track just ahead of the switch engine which was passing and was knocked down, the wheels passing over his body just above the hips and cut him in two.

The body was picked up and taken to the undertaking parlors of M. H. Koch and prepared for burial. Relatives were notified and Mr. Roberson of Santa Rosa answered and requested the remains be shipped to his father who lives in Wichita Falls. He said Mr. Thompson was slightly deaf and perhaps that accounts to a certain extent for the accident.

## HALLOWEEN SUPPER

Sunday night a halloween supper was given at the home of Mrs. Grange by Messdames Grange and C. S. Shaw. Those who were present report a fine time and knowing the hostesses should be proof that the report was correct. The rooms were decorated in yellow with corn stalks, pumpkins, jack o' lanterns, witch hats, etc. The table covering was yellow and this color scheme was carried out in every phase. The fortune-teller's booth was one of the most popular places of amusement. It was occupied by one who claimed to know palmistry and by the way she read some some thought she really did know how to tell fortunes, while others were not fully satisfied with what was told them. In the contest bobbing for apples it was Mrs. Davis who won.

A delicious luncheon was served in unique style and consisted of two kinds of sandwiches, stuffed peppers sliced, green chili salad, nuts, fruit, cake and coffee and other delicacies not remembered by our reporter.

## W. HERRLE RESIGNS

W. Herrle has resigned his position as assistant postmaster in order that he might be transferred to Albuquerque, where he will work in the post-office with chances of further advancement.

Mr. Herrle has been in Tucumcari for several years and has advanced until further advancement was impossible here so he thought it best to cast his lot elsewhere. He is a splendid competent man and thoroughly trustworthy in every respect. He is a good musician and we hate to have him leave on that account as the local band will miss him, but he left Tuesday to take up his new work and will make Albuquerque his permanent home. We wish him the best of success.

## CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS

On Nov. 27, 1915, stenographer and typewriter, male only. Field service. On Dec. 8, Cotton classifiers helper, (male) \$600-\$900. Also Oil gauger (male) \$1200.

J. L. HAAS,

Local Secretary



"Greater Love" Friday, Nov. 7, NEW